COVID-19 Update April 2, 2020

As of April 2, 2020, a total of 3824 laboratory-confirmed cases of COVID-19 have been reported among Connecticut residents (Figure 1). Eight hundred and twenty-seven patients are currently hospitalized. One hundred and twelve residents have died.

All data in this report are preliminary; data for previous dates will be updated as new reports are received and data errors are corrected. Hospitalization data were collected by the Connecticut Hospital Association. Deaths reported to the either the OCME or DPH are included in the daily COVID-19 update. For public health surveillance, laboratory-confirmed COVID-19-associated deaths are defined as patients who tested positive for COVID-19 around the time of death; this is not a determination of the cause of death.

OVERALL SUMMARY				
	Total	Change Since Yesterday		
Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19 Cases	3824	+267		
Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19-Associated Deaths	112	+27		
Patients Currently Hospitalized with COVID-19	827	+61		
Patients tested for COVID-19	18300	+1700		

Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19 Cases and Associated Deaths by County of Residence As of 4/2/20 12:00pm. Includes patients tested at the State Public Health Laboratory, hospital, and commercial laboratories.

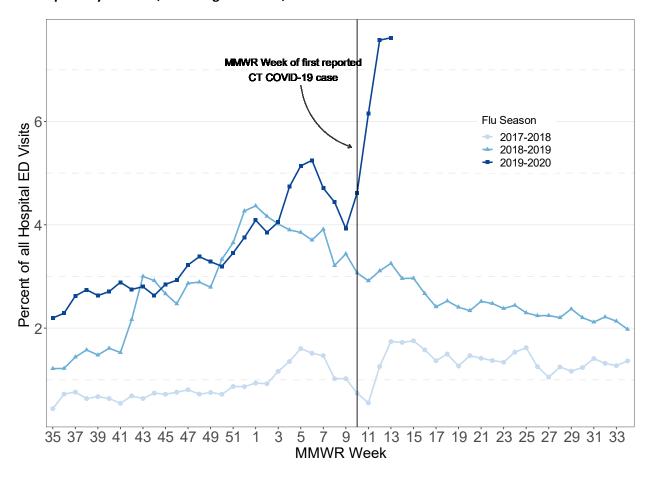
	Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19	Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19-
County	Cases	Associated Deaths
Fairfield County	2132	65
Hartford County	539	13
Litchfield County	141	2
Middlesex County	74	3
New Haven County	647	17
New London County	29	1
Tolland County	67	10
Windham County	21	0
Pending address validation	174	1
Total	3824	112

<u>National COVID-19 statistics</u> and information about <u>preventing spread of COVID-19</u> are available from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

A weekly report on seasonal influenza activity can be found on the DPH website.

Syndromic Surveillance

The Department of Public Health EpiCenter hospital emergency department (ED) syndromic surveillance system receives near real-time information from all 38 licensed, hospital EDs in Connecticut. The percentage of individuals seeking care for "unexplained fever/flu" syndrome ED visits is monitored to identify individuals that may have symptoms consistent with COVID-19; this differs from the "fever/flu" syndrome in the weekly influenza report since patients with a known diagnosis (e.g., influenza, strep throat) are not included. The syndromic surveillance systems suggest that many more people are seeking care for respiratory illnesses, including COVID-19, than usual at this time.

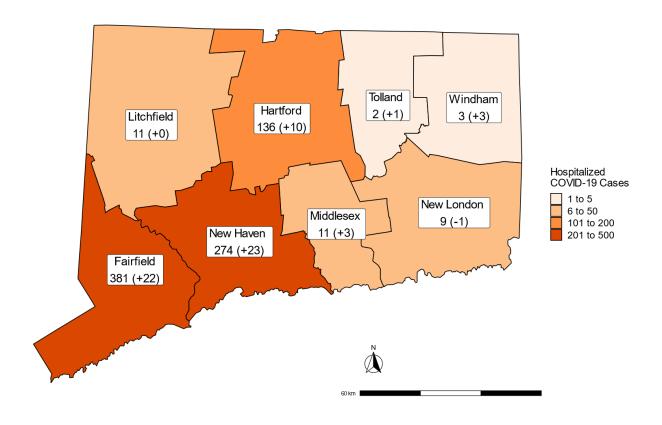


Hospitalization Surveillance

The map below shows the number of patients currently hospitalized with laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 by county based on data collected by the Connecticut Hospital Association. The distribution is by location of hospital, not patient residence. The labels indicate the number of patients currently hospitalized with the change since yesterday in parentheses.

Patients Currently Hospitalized by Connecticut County

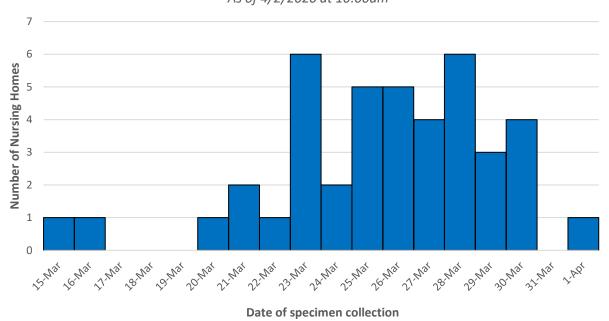
Distribution by location of hospital not patient residence. Data from the Connecticut Hospital Association.



Nursing Home Surveillance

Among 216 nursing homes in CT, 42 (19%) have had at least one confirmed case of COVID-19. A total of 150 nursing home residents with laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 have been identified of whom 64 (43%) were hospitalized and 15 (10%) have died. The graph below shows the number of nursing homes with laboratory confirmed COVID-19 cases by the first date a positive specimen was collected.

Number of Nursing Homes with Laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 among Residents by Date of First Positive Specimen Collection* As of 4/2/2020 at 10:00am

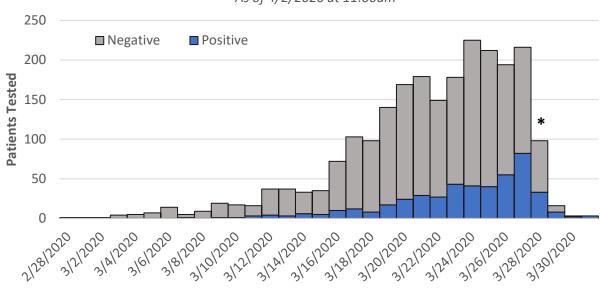


^{*}Test results may be reported several days after the result. Data from previous days are routinely updated.

Laboratory Surveillance

The Dr. Katherine A. Kelley State Public Health Laboratory has tested a total of **2260** patients for COVID19; **453 (20%)** patients tested positive. The graph below shows the number of patients tested by date specimens were received. Hospital and commercial laboratories also are offering testing for COVID-19 in Connecticut; in total, more than **18300** tests have been reported to date.

Patients Tested for COVID-19 at the Dr. Katherine A. Kelley State Public Health Laboratory As of 4/2/2020 at 11:00am



Date Specimen Received

^{*}Testing of specimens received since March 28 is on-going and does not reflect a decrease in testing.

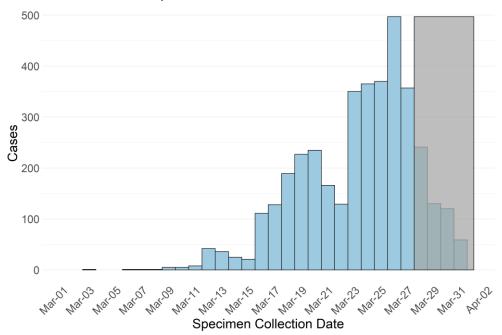
Characteristics of Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19 Cases and Associated Deaths

Test results may be reported several days after the result. Data are incomplete for most recent dates shaded in grey.

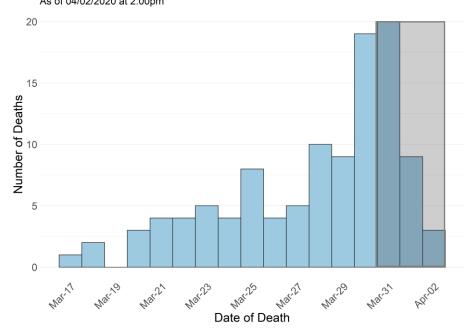
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Number of Laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 Cases by Date of Specimen Collection

As of 04/02/2020 at 2:00pm

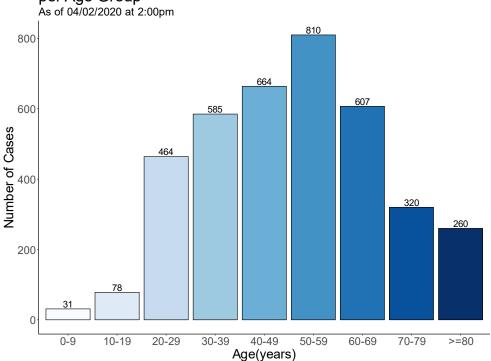


Number of Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19-Associated Deaths by Date As of 04/02/2020 at 2:00pm

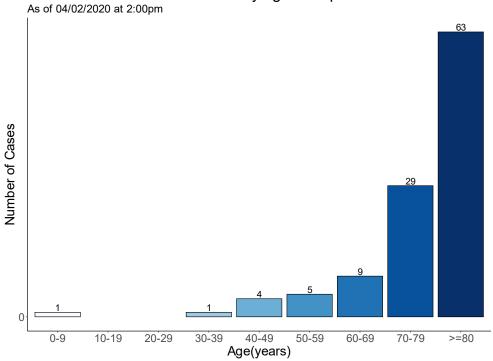


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Number of Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19 Cases per Age Group

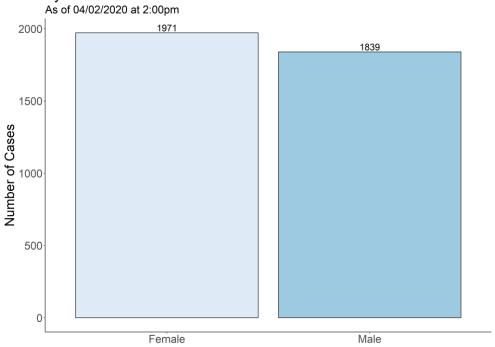


Number of Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19-Associated Deaths by Age Group

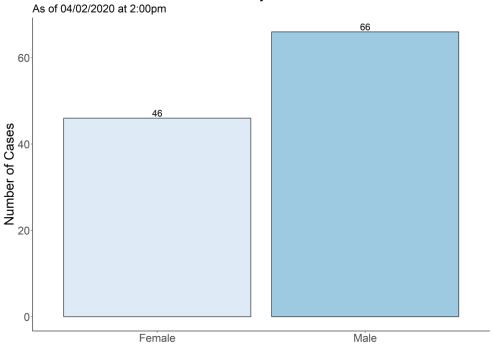


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Number of Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19 Cases by Gender

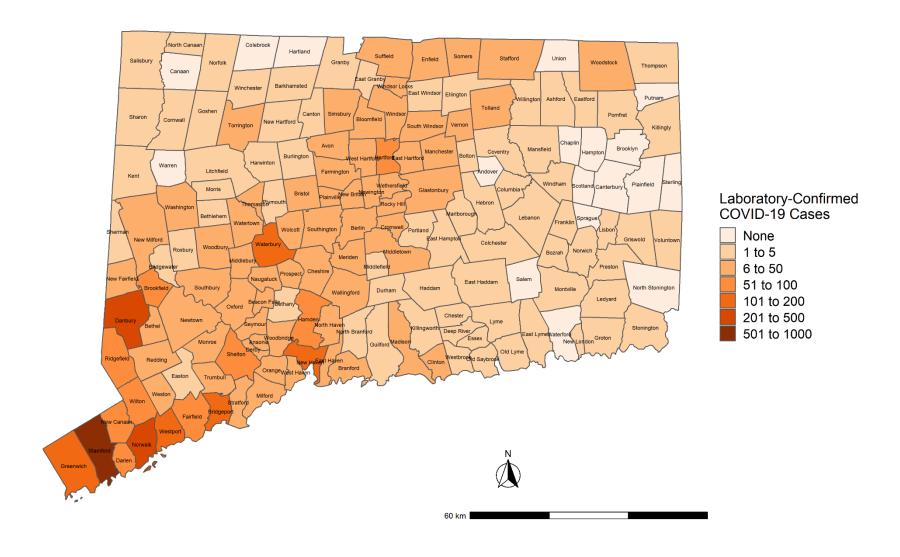


Number of Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19-Associated Deaths by Gender



Connecticut Towns with Confirmed Cases of COVID-19

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APPENDIX A. Towns with Confirmed Cases of COVID-19

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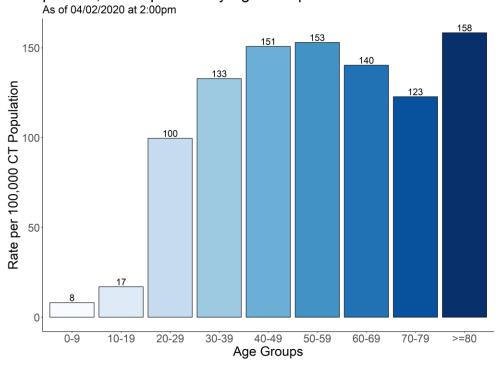
Town	Cases
Andover	0
Ansonia	25
Ashford	4
Avon	11
Barkhamsted	1
Beacon Falls	8
Berlin	14
Bethany	1
Bethel	39
Bethlehem	4
Bloomfield	20
Bolton	3
Bozrah	1
Branford	23
Bridgeport	115
Bridgewater	3
Bristol	18
Brookfield	59
Brooklyn	0
Burlington	5
Canaan	0
Canterbury	0
Canton	2
Chaplin	0
Cheshire	20
Chester	1
Clinton	7
Colchester	3
Colebrook	0
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Columbia	2
Cornwall	1
Coventry	4
Cromwell	7
Danbury	231
Darien	77
Deep River	4
Derby	13
Durham	3
East Granby	2
East Haddam	2
East Hampton	4
East Hartford	26
East Haven	17
East Lyme	2
East Windsor	2
Eastford	1
Easton	5
Ellington	4
Enfield	38
Essex	2
Fairfield	51
Farmington	16
Franklin	1
Glastonbury	14
Goshen	14
	1
Granby	+
Greenwich	170

Town	Cases
Griswold	1
Groton	2
Guilford	5
Haddam	1
Hamden	55
Hampton	0
Hartford	90
Hartland	0
Harwinton	4
Hebron	4
Kent	5
Killingly	2
Killingworth	1
Lebanon	2
Ledyard	2
Lisbon	2
Litchfield	4
Lyme	1 12
Madison	12
Manchester	36
Mansfield	1
Marlborough	3
Meriden	31
Middlebury	8
Middlefield	2
Middletown	29
Milford	23
Monroe	9
Montville	2
Morris	2
Naugatuck	13
New Britain	36
New Canaan	51
New Fairfield	32
New Hartford	3
New Haven	133
New London	3
New Milford	37
Newington	28
Newtown	33
Norfolk	1
North Branford	5
North Canaan	1
North Haven	10
North Stonington	0
Norwalk	330
Norwich	2
Old Lyme	1
Old Saybrook	5
Orange	8
Oxford	13
Plainfield	0
Plainville	10
Plymouth	3
Pomfret	2
Portland	4
Preston	1

Town	Cases
Prospect	8
Putnam	0
Redding	16
Ridgefield	78
Rocky Hill	22
Roxbury	3
Salem	0
Salisbury	3
Scotland	0
Seymour	17
Sharon	4
Shelton	59
Sherman	4
Simsbury	9
Somers	6
South Windsor	12
	14
Southbury	
Southington	27
Sprague	0
Stafford	19
Stamford	508
Sterling	0
Stonington	2
Stratford	38
Suffield	18
Thomaston	8
Thompson	1
Tolland	9
Torrington	24
Trumbull	22
Union	0
Vernon	14
Voluntown	1
Wallingford	18
Warren	0
Washington	10
Waterbury	105
Waterford	0
Watertown	11
West Hartford	24
West Haven	50
Westbrook	2
Weston	29
Westport	125
Wethersfield	22
Willington	1
Wilton	51
Winchester	2
Windham	5
Windsor	26
Windsor Locks	7
Wolcott	6
Woodbridge	6
Woodbury	6
Woodstock	6
VVUUUSLUCK	0

APPENDIX B. The following graphs show the rate of cases per 100,000 Connecticut residents in each age group and by gender. Population estimates from: https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Health-Information-Systems--Reporting/Population/Population-Statistics.

Rate of Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19 Cases per 100,000 Population by Age Group



Rate of Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19 Cases by Gender

